

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 474 (HB 662)

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Existing law provides for the Judicial Council of the supreme court. Provides that the Judicial Council shall adopt standards to determine whether to approve new judgeships and courts.

Existing law provides that the Judicial Council is authorized to review the district court judgeships within each district and provide information and recommendations to the legislature by March 1, 2007.

New law removes the March 1, 2007, deadline and by requiring the Judicial Council to provide information and recommendations to the legislature regarding the appropriate number of district and appellate court judgeships on an annual basis.

New law provides that the Judicial Council may base its recommendations to the legislature on the findings of the Judicial Structure Task Force established by House Resolution No. 30 of the 2022 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Amends R.S. 13:61(E))